

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, L.L.C. and
MCI COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC.,
d/b/a VERIZON BUSINESS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

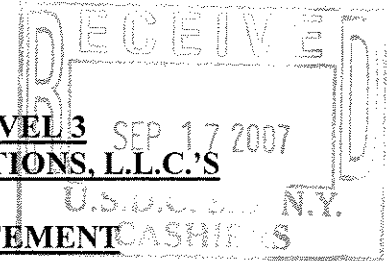
MARINE BULKHEADING, INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No.

PLAINTIFF LEVEL 3
COMMUNICATIONS, L.L.C.'S

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

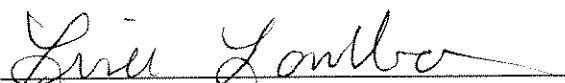


Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Plaintiff, Level 3 Communications, L.L.C. ("Level 3") certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held.

1. Level 3 is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Level 3 Financing, Inc. ("L3F").
2. L3F is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Level 3 Communications, Inc., a publicly traded company.

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